



Between the Pages

Huntsville Public Library

Library News

Texas Reading Club

The library has posted its list of events for this summer's Texas Reading Club! The theme of this year's program is "Catch the Reading Express!" Registration begins June 1 and continues throughout the summer.

In addition to keeping track of the books they read, children can also attend a number of events throughout the months of June and July. The full list of events—too many to name on this page—can be found on the

library's website at www.myhuntsvillelibrary.com under "Children's Department." Or just click [here](#).

Events

The month of April is full of events for children at the library. Preschool Story Hour continues every Thursday at 10:30 AM. Additionally, the Huntsville Public Library Friends sponsor their final show of the spring 2010 season

at Old Town Theatre on April 17—*The Heroes of Harpersville*. Turn to page 4 for a full list of events with links to more information. All events are complimentary.

Closings

The library will be closed on Friday, April 2 and Saturday, April 3 in observance of Good Friday and the Easter Holiday. The library will re-open on Monday, April 5 at 9:00 AM.

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Volunteer Opportunities

Volunteering is a great way to become involved with and give back to your community! Volunteers gain valuable connections, skills, and experience. Make a difference by volunteering at the library!

Literacy Program Administrative Assistant

The Huntsville Public Library and the Huntsville Area Literacy Council provide Adult Basic Education and English as a Second Language tutoring to adult learners.

The administrative assistant will provide general clerical administrative assistance to

the Literacy Coordinator. Tasks may include entering information into databases, typing, filing, copying, collating, proofreading, and editing of printed materials. The administrative assistant may contact volunteers and learners to schedule training and tests, assist in recruitment drives, and assist with other promotions of the Literacy Program.

The administrative assistant must have a high school diploma or equivalent, Microsoft Office skills (Word, Excel, Access, Publisher), and be willing to devote 4 to 6 hours per week.

For more information, contact Literacy Coordinator Richard Lane at 291-5912.

Scrapbooker

The library is in need of a creative individual to create a scrapbook featuring our many exciting and noteworthy events, such as our impending renovation and expansion. The library provides materials, including newspaper clippings, photographs, and art supplies, and you provide the inspiration!

For more information, contact Volunteer Coordinator Kimberly Francisco at 291-5481.

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Sunday: Closed

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New Books

ADULT

Murder at Longbourn

Tracy Kiely

Invited to join her Aunt Winnie for a How to Host a Murder Party on New Year's Eve at Winnie's new Cape Cod B and B, Elizabeth Parker must unearth old secrets and new motives in order to clear her beloved aunt of suspicion when the local wealthy miser ends up the unscripted victim.

Impact

Douglas J. Preston

When a brilliant meteor lights up the Main coast, and NASA images reveal an unnatural feature hidden in the depths of a crater on Mars, it's just the start of the adventure for a former CIA operative, technicians, and many others.

The Politician

Andrew Young

An insider's account of John Edwards' pursuit of the presidency and the scandal that brought him down.

YOUNG ADULT

The Stolen One

Suzanne Crowley

After the death of her foster mother, sixteen-year-old Kat goes to London to seek the answers to her parentage, and surprisingly finds herself invited into Queen Elizabeth's court.

If I Stay

Gayle Forman

While in a coma following an automobile accident that killed her parents and younger brother, seventeen-year-old Mia, a gifted cellist, weighs whether to live with her grief or join her family in death.

Pop

Gordan Korman

Lonely after a midsummer move to a new town, sixteen-year-old high-school quarterback Marcus Jordan becomes friends with a retired professional linebacker who is great at training him, but whose childish behavior keeps Marcus in hot water.

JUVENILE

Mysterious Messages: A History of Codes and Ciphers

Gary L. Blackwood

From the ingenious ciphers of Italian princes to the spy books of the Civil War to the advanced techniques of the CIA, codes and code breaking have played important roles

throughout history.

Be a Genie in Six Easy Steps

Linda Chapman

Four new stepsiblings move from London to an out-of-the-way English village, where they discover a book--inhabited by a grouchy bookworm--that promises to make the reader a wish-granting genie.

PICTURE BOOKS

The Crane Wife

Sumiko Yagawa

After Yohei tends a wounded crane, a beautiful young woman begs to become his wife and three times weaves for him an exquisite silken fabric on her loom.

What Will Fat Cat Sit On?

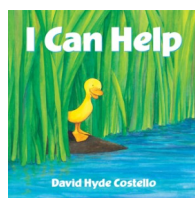
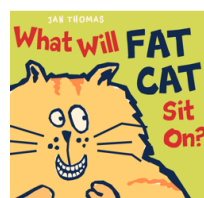
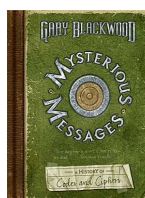
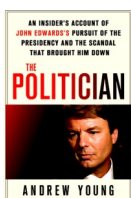
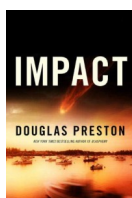
Jan Thomas

A group of animals is terrified at the prospect of being sat upon by the imposing Fat Cat, until the mouse comes up with a solution that satisfies everyone.

I Can Help

David Costello

When a duck gets lost and a monkey helps him find his way, it starts a chain reaction in which all the young animals help each other solve their problems.



New Movies

ADULT

The Notebook

Two teenagers from opposite sides of the tracks fall in love one summer, but are tragically forced apart. When they reunite seven years later, their passionate romance is rekindled, forcing one of them to choose between true love and class order. Based on the book by Nicholas Sparks.

Precious

In this Oscar-winning film, Precious Jones, an

inner-city high school girl, is illiterate, overweight, and pregnant...again. Naïve and abused, Precious responds to a glimmer of hope when a door is opened by an alternative school teacher. Based on the book *Push* by Sapphire.

CHILDREN

City of Ember

For centuries, the residents of the underground City of Ember have flourished in an

amazing world of glittering lights and quiet contentment. When the City's power generator begins to fail, the streetlamps fade, along with the hopes of the townspeople. Based on the book by Jeanne DuPrau.

Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince

Harry Potter returns to Hogwarts for another year of schooling and learns more about the dark past of the boy who grew up to become Lord Voldemort. Based on the bestselling book by J.K. Rowling.

Spotlight On: Ancestry Library Edition



Huntsville Public Library offers a wealth of resources for researching your family history. One of the best tools is Ancestry Library Edition, a website full of valuable information.

- Immigration & Emigration Records
- Military records
- Newspapers & Periodicals
- Birth, Marriage, & Death Records
- Photographs
- Maps
- And more!

What does Ancestry offer?

- Census Records & Voter Lists
- Social Security Death Index

How do I use Ancestry?

Due to licensing restrictions, Ancestry Li-

brary Edition can only be used inside the library. We have a direct link on all of our Genealogy computers that will take you directly to the website. You can also access it by visiting our homepage, www.myhuntsvillelibrary.com, clicking on "Online Databases" at the left, and then clicking on the link to Ancestry on that page.

Ancestry lets you search by name, keyword, state, region, and even country. It is one of the best first destinations for family history researchers. Check it out!

Library Word Search

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April 2010



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